GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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BAN ON MEDICINES
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether some medicines for heightening sexual arousal are easily available in the market;

(b) if so, whether some ill-effects of these medicines have also been noticed;

(c) whether the Government propose to impose ban on such medicine;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)

(SHRI N.T. SHANMUGAM)

(a) to (e) Sale and distribution of drugs is regulated by State Governments.However, no complaints have been received regarding the ill effects of any such drugs . Nevertheless, the concern about possible availability of such drugs in the market is being brought to the notice of the State Drug Controller requesting them to keep a vigilant watch in this matter.